## COMMODITIES CASE **DECISION WORRIES**

Government Lawyers Denv "Holding Company" Principle Vindicated.

The best of official authority is be hind the declaration that the recent commodities clause decision of the Sunot in the slightest degree involve the principle of the "holding company," nor in any way bear upon the probable legalizing of that method of so-called trust evasion, upon which rests the entire fabric of the dissolution suits brought by the Government against the by the Standard Oil, American To-bacco Company, E. I. Du Pont de Nemours Powder Company, the Harriman merger, and the Anthracite Coal-

Justice White who handed down the decision, upholding the power of Congress to legislate for the absolute di-vorcement of transportation and production by interstate railroads, does not believe that there are any points of similarity between the two cases; neither does Justice Harlan, or Justice Moody, and other members court, if their intimate friends quote them correctly.

Wickersham Disagrees.

Attorney General Wickersham, who has gained great renown as corporascouts the imputation. Frank B. Kellogg, special counsel in Standard Oil and the Harriman interests, characterizes as "bosh" the sug-gestion of eminent New York lawyers that the Government's anti-trust policy

that the Government's anti-trust policy has necessarily collapsed by reason of the opinion permitting railroads to hold stock in coal mine corporations.

What President Taft thinks is not of record, but it is known that he firmly believes that the Standard Oil Trust has met its finish.

High Government officials declined to discuss the matter, feeling so firm in their convictions that they consider it unnecessary to speculate upon the eve of a decision by the United Stafes circuit court in the Standard Oil case, which is expected in the early fall.

Deeply Interested.

But they have manifested the deepest interest in the informal discussions which have taken place since the Su-preme Court's decision, and it is understood that all of them are much gratified over the pleasing unanimity

of opinion.

Those who have been directly interested in the trust suits took especial pains to secure without delay the commodities decision, and the best advices are, in the absence of direct statements, that they have been unable for find the slightest warrant for the impressions which eminent lawyers in private practice appear to have gained.

#### JUNGLE BEAST SHOW IN ODD FELLOWS HALL

Collection Is Part of May Carnival Now On-Draws Crowds.

Colonel Roosevelt's collection of queen African animals will be on exhibition at Odd Fellows' Hall tonight as a part of the big program of the May can nival the Odd Fellows are giving. Just how many people were crowded out of the hall last night because more came than could get in is not known, but there was a crowd on the inaugural night and promises of crowds for every night. The Roosevelt collection was not ready for the sightseers, but there was enough to keep the visitors busy and separate them from their spare nickels and dimes through-

The carnival is being held for the benefit of the drill team of the local branch of the order. The members want to send the champion drillers to Seattle to compete with teams from other sections of the country. The carnival will continue two weeks.

#### TO WIPE OUT DEBT WITHIN TWO YEARS

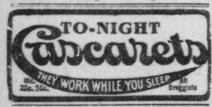
The officers of the Episcopal Eye and Ear Hospital have set for themselves the task of wiping out the indebtedness of that institution within the hext two years. At present the institution carries 9 debt of \$35,000, which is \$4,500 less debt of \$35,000, which is \$4.500 less than it was three months ago. A report of the financial condition of the hospital as well as discussion of other matters of importance was presented at the quarterly meeting of the board of governors last evening. The satisfactory condition of the finances was a matter of general congratulation. More patients were treated at the hospital during the last quarter than ever before.

#### WASHINGTON MAN GETS NEW LAUNCH

SEA ORD, Del., May 18 .- The yacht Minnehaha, the first product of the eaford Marine Railway, has made its trial trip and proved perfectly satisfac-tory. The Minnehaha will be delivered in Washington to her owner, T. H. Pick-ford, who will run her on the Potomac. The sucht was completed in seventy-one days.

### POLICE ATTEND BAPTISM.

WILMINGTON, May 18 .- With a cordon of police surrounding the church and guarding the doors, the baptism of a Polish girl, aged about fifteen years, was carried out in Bethany Baptist Church. The police had been sent to the church at the reuesqt of the pastor, the Rev. L. J. Westfall, who feared violence, as there had been trouble for some time among the foreigners.



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### HITCHCOCK LEADING PLAYGROUND WORK

Postmaster General at Head of Campaign Started for the Purpose of Raising More Funds for the Project.

cy, Dr. George M. Kober, and Secretary West voiced the need of more play-

GIRLS SAY GOOD-BY

the Chevy Chase

Ferrill, Arkansas; Marguerite Veta Hal-

With Frank H. Hitchcock, Postmaster | were present. Judge William H. De La-General, as its president the Washing-ton Playgrounds Association renewed its efforts today for a spread of the commodities clause decision of the Su-preme Court of the United States did and began to appeal to the public for

> Mr. Hitchcock's election as president of the association was made unanimous when the board of directors learned yesterday afternoon that he would accept

> At the same meeting, the directors out lined a definite campaign for the sum-mer and will at once be in efforts to reimburse the treasury. Arthur C. Moses, retiring president, will endeavor this week to obtain permission from President Taft to use buttons with the President's picture and the words "I Am For Playgrounds" beneath. The President, in a recent Washington

speech, indorsed the playgrounds move ment. The buttons probably will be distributed among school children and others for sale, the proceeds going to the general fund, which will suffer during the summer months, owing to the failure of Congress to make an appropriation.

Mr. Hitchcock's election as president made the election of a new vice president necessary and Mr. Moses was named for that place. James E. West was re-elected secretary. More than twenty of the directors

**CHRISTIAN FILIPINOS** 

## ACCUSED OF MURDER

Dr. Dorsey May Not Have Been Big Class Is Graduated From Killed by Head Hunters,

CHICAGO, May 18—Dr. George A. As a culmination to a festive week, the "sweet graduates" donned the ceived a letter from Dean C. Worster, gown and mortal board, and said faresecretary of the interior of the Philippines, intimating that Dr. W. J. Jones, at the annual commencement exercises murdered at Duma-Bato, at Chevy Chase School last night. Luzon, March 28, may have been killed presenting the diplomas Principal Bakby Christians instead of by head-hunting Illongats, as was generally sup- cal program followed.

posed.

The letter states that it seemed improbable that Dr. Jones was slain by the netives as his dead body was brought in by a party of savages.

Dr. Dorsey recalled that Dr. Jones had told him in a letter that certain Christian native traders had followed him into the Illongatio country.

#### SENTENCED TO DIE IN JUST 38 DAYS

ays after he shot and killed Eugene Hutchinson, Charles Bowser, a negr was today sentenced to death in the electric chair.

Bowser's case came up for trial last week. The trial lasted less than ten hours and the jury took only forty minutes in finding him guilty. He will be put to death during the week be-ginning June 25.

#### **ACTRESS PERSISTS** IN DIVORCE QUEST

RENO, Nev., May 18 .- Miss Virginia Harned, whose suit to divorce E. H. Sothern was recently thrown out Sothern was recently thrown out of court here on the ground she was not a bona fide resident of Nevada, has ing on Rural Route No. 5, Jonesboro, moving regularly and naturally, and I rented a house in this city to establish a reallement of New Ark., in a statement given for publication, tells a story that makes interest.

A. D. Henry, a prominent farmer live appetite was good, my bowers were interested as a possible of the prominent farmer live appetite was good, my bowers were interested as a possible of the prominent farmer live appetite was good, my bowers were considered as a possible of the prominent farmer live appetite was good, my bowers were considered as a possible of the prominent farmer live appetite was good, my bowers were considered as a possible of the prominent farmer live appetite was good, my bowers were considered as a possible of the prominent farmer live appetite was good, my bowers were considered as a possible of the prominent farmer live appetite was good, my bowers were considered as a possible of the prominent farmer live appetite was good, my bowers were considered as a possible of the prominent farmer live and the prominent farmer live appetite was good, my bowers were considered as a possible of the prominent farmer live as a possible of the prominent farmer live appetite was good, my bowers were considered as a possible of the prominent farmer live as a possible of the prominent farmer live appetite was good, my bowers were considered as a possible of the prominent farmer live and the prominent farmer live and

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# TRAINED ANIMALS

Gentry Brothers' Large Tents Are Filled at Two Performances.

These are great days for the young grounds in the northwest section of the city. When members of the committee were before the Senate District Committee, said Mr. Moses, this discrimination against the well-to-do classes had been pointed out by the Senate committee.

had been pointed out by the Senate committee.

"Unfortunately, we could not reply to the objection offered as we would have liked," said Mr. Moses.

Commissioner Judson, Thomas C. Noyes, and D. J. Callahan were unanimously elected to the board of directors in return for services rendered the association. Dr. Walter Wiber was similarly honored.

The directors were informed just before adjournment that a number of members of the kease District Committee, under the leadership of Chairman Samuel W. Smith, probably would make a tour of inspection of the Wastington playgrounds within the next two weeks. Pending a consultation with the Board

other circuses, but when it comes to making an animal do something it is "on the job," as the arest urchin would say. There are chearth clowns and acrobats, too, to round out the performance and worth with an archaest and laughed and figgled a thousand times yesterday and last night. The funny antics of the animals just reade them laugh. The elephants stood on their hind legs and walked wooden bottles, windling up with an orchestra concert that was rather discordant, but pretty good for elephant musicians. The ponies went through a drill that would have done credit to a bunch of West Point cadets; the dogs did all the old tricks and a lot of new ones, and a kicking mule, an old favorite, just cut up terribly. During the animal stunts there were actobats and clowns who didenough to give the show the appearance of a combined circus and dog and pony show. Pending a consultation with the Board of Education, the directors were unable to make arrangements for the use of the school playgrounds during the year.

The directors were optimistic of the early spread of the playgrounds system in Washington when the President announced that Major Cosby, Superintendent of Public Buildings and Grounds, contemplated offering the association a number of park reservations. ontemplated offering the association a number of park reservations.

Otto C. Newkirk was named assistant treasurer to fii the office to be vacated by John B. Sieman, jr. The meeting closed after thanking D. J. Callahan for his offer of a stearboat for the annual excursion of the association. TO OLD ALMA MATER

pony show.

Exhibitions will be given every afternoon and evening of this week, a parade during the morning preceding the opening of the tents.

#### CONDITION OF SON OF RALPH BETTER

NEW YORK, May 18 .- Willard Ralph, the twenty-nine-year-old son of the late Julian Ralph, a well-known magazine writer, is in a serious condition at the Coney Island hospital today, as the result of his attempt at suicide last night, when he shot himself in the side. The physicians at the hospital today say Ralph may recover.

Ralph has been despondent for some time, according to his relatives. While walking in Surf avenue about 10 o'clock last night he fixed a shot into his side. Julian Ralph, a well-known magazine er made a lwief address. A short musi-Those given dip omas were Louise Harbeson Doniphan, Kentucky; Jennie Shields Stryker. New York; Ida Picker

retrili, Arkansas; Aarguerite Veta Halcomb. California; Eugenia Copper, Mississippi; Mittle Wheeler Floyd, Mississippi; Amalia La Mar Steen, Louisiana;
Marguerite Flora Skelly, California;
Lillias Irene Shetzline, Pennsylvania;
Albia Wallas Cooper, Mississippi;
Celeste Margeret Well, Texas; Lena
Campbell, Tennessee; Minette F. Switzer, Mississippi; Florence Marye Monnig, California; Ruby Saunders, New
Mexico; Lillian A. Shrewsbury, West
Virginia.

#### PENALTY INCREASED.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 18 .- Governor Hughes has signed a law increasing the penalty for extortion or blackmall from five years to fiften years. The measure is aimed at the Eack Hand and similar organizations.

# MEAL IN YEARS

Arkansas Farmer Follows Advice of Cooper, and Gains Fifteen Pounds in Few Weeks.

as who suffer from stomach trouble. Mr. Henry says:

CLAIMS WIRELESS

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NEW ORLEANS, May 18.—H. A. Folk, a New Orleans man, contends that the destruction of battleship magazines from 400 to 500 miles away is possible with a wireless appliance he has invented. He has offered the device to the United Stats Governmnt.

Scintific men liere are not enthusiastic about the invention.

NEW SKIN REMEDY

STOPS ALL ITCHING

Stomach trouble. Mr. Henry says:

"For six years I was a chronic sufferer from stomach trouble. In all that time I did not est a meal to enjoy it. No matter what I ate it caused pain and distress. Food laid in a hard lump upon my stomach. I lost in flesh and strength, and was unable to find relief. I suffered night and day—was robbed of my sleep and rest, and arose in the morning as tired as when I went to bed. I was completely run down, and derived no benefit from any medicine I took.

"One day while in town my druggist recommended Cooper's New Discovery. I had noticed several articles in the newspapers regarding this man Cooper's New Discovery is a boon to coper's New Discovery is a boon to

newspapers regarding this man Cooper's New Discovery is a boon to cooper in the larger cities, and decided to give his medicine a trial. Its effect surprised me. Before I had taken all of the first bottle I felt wonderfully improved.

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several more bottles, and in six we time I felt like a new man, fully res

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### HUNGRY FOR GOULASH, HORSE RAIDS TABLES

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NEW YORK, May 18 .- Afflicted with satisfied himself with upsetting a table some equine allment, an old white norse or two, and then returned in good order owned by Herman Brand, of 49. East to the street.

East Washington Citizens' Association Afraid They Will Be Discontinued.

Washingtonian, and his cup of happiness, while circuses come and go, is continually running over.

Scarce had the big three-ring circus pulled stakes and sougat the nickels than Gentry Bros., with that wonderful aggregation of trained animals that always awes and delights the juvenile mind, hit the Capital.

They were out in force yesterday, the children and quite a few grown-ups who wanted an excuse, and they will be out again today, for the show has begun its annual weekly engagement. The Gentry aggregation doesn't pretend to put on so many high dives, aerial gyrations, and tumbling clowns as some of the other circuses, but when it comes to making an animal do something it is Citizens of East Washington view

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